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June 29, 2011

TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Jonathan E. Fielding, M.D., M.P.H.
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SUBJECT: **NOTIFICATION OF THE USE OF DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO EXECUTE
AN ALCOHOL AND DRUG SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH MID VALLEY
RECOVERY SERVICES, INC. FOR THE PROVISION OF DRUG MEDI-CAL
SERVICES**

This is to inform you that I am exercising the delegated authority approved by your Board on June 10, 2008, to offer and sign forthcoming alcohol and drug agreements for the provision of Drug/ Medi-Cal (DMC) program services to all eligible State-certified DMC providers through June 30, 2011, following review and approval by County Counsel and notification to your Board and the Chief Executive Office, effective upon provider DMC certification date or July 1 of the current fiscal year, whichever start date is requested by the provider allowing for state approved retroactive payments.

Under this authority I will execute a new DMC agreement with Mid Valley Recovery Services, Inc. (MVRS) effective February 1, 2011 through June 30, 2011. MVRS became state certified on July 14, 2010, to provide Outpatient Drug Free Services. The total contractual obligation under this agreement is \$50,000; 100 percent offset by federal and State funds.

Pursuant to the federal ruling of Sobky v. Smoley, counties are required to enter into agreements with all State-certified DMC services providers effective upon certification date.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the Agreement and this delegated authority action.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please let me know.

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c: Chief Executive Officer
County Counsel
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